

SPECIAL NOTICES.

ON AND AFTER AUG. 14, 1917, I WILL NOT be responsible for any debts contracted by my name other than those of my own making. JAMES M. NEW, 2005 Douglas st. n. w.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKHOLDERS of the East Washington Electric and Light Co. for the election of directors and such other business as may properly come before the meeting will be held on Wednesday, August 15, 1917, at the office of the company, 2500 Pennsylvania avenue, n. w., Washington, D. C. Polls open from 9 to 5 p. m.

THE TWENTY-SEVENTH ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the Washington Electric and Light Co. will be held on Wednesday, August 15, 1917, at the office of the company, 2500 Pennsylvania avenue, n. w., Washington, D. C. Polls open from 9 to 5 p. m.

A quarterly dividend of one and three-fourths per cent (1 3/4%) on the common stock of the Washington Electric and Light Co. has been declared, payable September 1, 1917, to the stockholders of record at the close of business on the 15th day of August, 1917. The dividend is payable at the office of the company, 2500 Pennsylvania avenue, n. w., Washington, D. C. S. R. BOWEN, Secretary.

Office of the LANSTON MONOGRAPH MACHINE COMPANY, Philadelphia, Pa.

The board of directors has this day declared a quarterly dividend of 15 per cent on the capital stock of this company, payable on the 31st day of August, 1917, to the stockholders of record at the close of business, August 21, 1917.

J. S. MILLER, Secretary, Treasurer, Philadelphia, August 7, 1917.

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NEW LINE OF INSTRUCTION.
Program of Military Service Legion Drill This Evening.

At the meeting and drill of the Military Service Legion Instruction Corps in convention hall, this evening at 8 o'clock the members will be given a new line of instruction. Clarence V. Sayer will instruct the men in the deployment of troops as skirmishers. Citizens interested in military instruction and who desire to participate in the weekly drills are invited by Col. R. D. Slime, president of the Military Service Legion, to report at 8 o'clock at the National Guard armory, 472 L street northwest, where, after formation and the issuing of the rifles the men are marched to Convention Hall where competent drillmasters assume charge.

Thursday evening Capt. Frank W. Holt, one of the best known rifle shots and instructors in the National Capital and for number of years connected with the National Guard Brigade rifle teams, will demonstrate the use of the modern Army rifle and explain the various parts. Every Thursday evening, classes for instruction are held in room 406, National Guard armory, to attend which those interested are invited.

AMERICAN BARK TORPEDOED.
Christiane Sunk by U-Boat Off the Azores August 7.

Sinking of the American bark Christiane by a submarine in the vicinity of the Azores August 7, at 7 p. m., is announced by the Navy Department. The entire crew was saved and landed at Ponta del Gada.

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DRAFT BOARDS PLAN TO ASSEMBLE MEN

Commissioner Brownlow Suggests Quartering First Quota in Armories.

DIVISION HEADS GET ADVICE

Plans for assembling the first 30 per cent of the first call men to represent the district in the National Army, to be sent to cantonments September 5, were discussed last night at a meeting in the District building of the members of the eleven local boards, the District board and District government officials. Commissioner Louis Brownlow presided. He advised the boards to have a few more than their 30 per cent certified for service before September 5, in order that there might be no hitch in the plans to get the men away on time. He reminded them, too, that the full quota must be furnished before the end of September. This total, he said, should not include the men who never appeared for examination and were certified for service. This is not to be a paper army, he said, and a paper man does not count.

Suggestions for Handling Men.

Commissioner Brownlow made the suggestion that instead of having twenty-two different lodging houses and twenty-two eating places, the local quota should be combined and the whole affair handled under one management. He will take two distinct places to reach district, he said for the reason that the races will have to be segregated. Under a central management, he said, only two places would be needed. He suggested the local National Guard armories for the purpose. Under this plan, however, he said, board members would have to be present to look after their own quota. He suggested that the boards go over the lists of men certified and pick out the best men to place in command of the units which will go from Washington. These men, he said, will be the first to meet the officers, and will be the ones to give the first impressions. It may mean that they will be made corporals or sergeants in the new army.

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Gives Pointers for Boards.

James S. Esby-Smith, a member of the appeal board, acting as spokesman for the board, gave the board members some pointers which would make the work easy for all concerned. He said that some of the boards had left dates off the notices sent out to the men informing them that they had been accepted, and that this made a lot of work necessary in order to determine the date and fix the time limit for appeals.

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Abe Martin Says:



No girl wuz ever so purty she could chew gum with impunity. Who remembers when our farmers used t' raise more whiskeys than anything else?

causes the local boards very properly had acted on a technicality in certifying a man because he did not have his papers on time. The spirit of the law is to be just to every man, he said, and it is the intention that no man should be drafted when there is a good reason why he should not be.

He urged the boards not to pass doubtful cases simply because they knew the man had the right of appeal to the District board.

Frank P. Leetch of board No. 7 asked that residence should be given to anonymous letters purporting to contain facts about men who have been called. Mr. Esby-Smith said that while action could not be taken on the letters themselves they should be investigated.

Even after a case is passed upon, Mr. Esby-Smith said, any information which comes to the local boards should be promptly transmitted to the District board.

Commissioner Brownlow later informed the boards that in making up their first 30 per cent they need not certify just the names of the first men called. For instance, he said, if No. 1 man is called, and the cases of Nos. 2 and 3 are pending, then No. 4 may be certified to go with the first man.

Daniel Donovan instructed the boards to send him the names of the men who have registered since July 16, in order that red ink numbers may be assigned them.

G. E. Van Ness of board No. 5 resigned last night.

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